



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q78611

SAKAI, Atsushi, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/743,874

Group Art Unit: 1742

Confirmation No.: 9363

Examiner: XU, Ling X

Filed: December 24, 2003

For: SOLID ELECTROLYTIC CAPACITOR AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 16, 2004, and the restriction requirement set forth therein, applicants elect Group I, claims 1, 2, 4 and 5 for examination in the present application. This election is made without traverse.

In addition, in response to the Examiner's requirement of an election of species, applicants elect the species of formula (1b) for examination, on which claims 4 and 5 are readable.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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